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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-30 (canceled)

Claims 31-62

31. (once amended)

A scarf, said scarf comprising:

a first panel having a top edge,

a first peripheral edge extending from one end of said first panel top edge to the other end

5 of said first panel top edge,

a second panel having a top edge,

a second peripheral edge extending from one end of said second panel top edge to the

other end of said second panel top edge;

said first and second top panel edges being about the same length;

10 said first peripheral edge being longer than said second peripheral edge whereby said first panel is larger than said second panel;

~~means for bunching~~ at least one portion of said first peripheral edge bunched to form a gathered strip sufficiently sufficient in length to allow said first and second peripheral edges substantially to coincide;

15 ~~means for attaching said bunched and unbunched portions of said first peripheral edge to said second peripheral edge~~ said first and second peripheral edges attached to form a peripheral seam; and

~~means for attaching said first panel top edge~~ attached to said second panel top edge to form a top seam,

20 whereby said first and second panels, said top seam and said peripheral seam define an air chamber between said panels.

32. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 31 wherein said scarf further includes means for securing said scarf around the neck of a wearer.

33. (once amended) The apparatus as recited in Claim 31 wherein said ~~bunching means~~ at least one said gathered strip is positioned proximate said top seam.

34. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 31 wherein said first and second panels are generally triangular in shape with said first peripheral edge forming two sides of said first panel and said second peripheral edge forming two sides of said second triangular panel.

35. (once amended) The apparatus as recited in Claim 31 wherein the peripheral edges of said first and second panels are substantially congruent after at least one said bunching means gathered strip is formed on said first peripheral edge.

36. (once amended) The apparatus as recited in Claim 31 wherein said ~~attaching means is~~ top seam and peripheral seam are formed by stitching.

37. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 32 wherein securing means comprises first and second tabs attached to said scarf opposite one another and proximate said top seam.

38. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 31 wherein at least one of said first and second panels further comprises a third panel attached to and generally coextensive with said one of said first and second panels.

39. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 38 wherein said first panel is formed from fabric.

40. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 38 wherein said second panel is formed from fleece fabric.

41. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 38 wherein said third panel is formed from fabric.

42. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 41 wherein said fabric is silk.

43. (once amended) A scarf, said scarf comprising:

a first generally triangular panel having a base edge having first and second ends, and an apex opposite said base,

a first peripheral edge extending from said first panel first base end to said apex, and

5 a second peripheral edge extending from said first panel second base end to said first panel apex,

a second generally triangular panel having a base edge having first and second ends, and an apex,

a third peripheral edge extending from said second panel first base end to said second

10 10 panel apex, and

a fourth peripheral edge extending from said second panel second base end to said second panel,

said first and second peripheral edges being longer than said third and fourth peripheral edges;

15 ~~means for bunching~~ at least one portion of said first edge bunched to form a first gathered strip and at least one portion of said second peripheral edges bunched to form a second gathered strip, said first and second gathered strips formed proximate said first panel base edge and of

sufficient length sufficiently to allow said first and second peripheral edges substantially to coincide with said third and fourth peripheral edges;

20 ~~means for attaching~~ said first panel base edge attached to said second panel base edge to form a top seam,

~~means for attaching~~ said first panel first and second peripheral edges attached to said second panel third and fourth peripheral edges to form a peripheral seam,

whereby said ~~bunching means~~ gathered strips, said top seam, said peripheral seam and said first and second panels define an air chamber between said panels.

44. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 43 wherein said scarf further includes means for securing said scarf around the neck of a wearer.

45. (once amended) The apparatus as recited in Claim 43 wherein said ~~bunching means is~~ said gathered strips are positioned proximate said top seam.

46. (once amended) The apparatus as recited in Claim 43 wherein the peripheral edges of said first and second panels are substantially congruent after said ~~bunching means~~ gathered strips are formed on said first panel peripheral edges.

47. (once amended) The apparatus as recited in Claim 43 wherein said ~~attaching means is~~ top seam and said peripheral seam are formed by stitching.

48. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 44 wherein securing means comprises first and second tabs attached to said scarf opposite one another and proximate said top seam.

49. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 43 wherein at least one of said first and second

panels further comprises a third panel attached to and generally coextensive with said one of said first and second panels.

50. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 43 wherein said first panel is formed from fabric.

51. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 43 wherein said second panel is formed from fleece fabric.

52. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 50 wherein said third panel is formed from fabric.

53. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 53 wherein said fabric is silk.

54. (once amended) A scarf, said scarf comprising:

a substantially triangular front panel having a top edge, and left and right side edges,
said left and right front panel side edges meeting at a front panel apex distal from said

front panel top edge,

5 said left and right side edges forming a front peripheral edge;

a substantially triangular rear panel having a top edge, and left and right side edges,

said left and right rear panel side edges meeting at a front panel apex distal from said rear

panel top edge,

said left and right side edges forming a rear peripheral edge;

10 said front peripheral edge being longer than said rear peripheral edge;

means for bunching at least one portion of said front peripheral edge bunched to form a

gathered strip sufficiently sufficient in length to allow said front and rear peripheral edges
substantially to coincide;

15 said scarf formed by attaching said front and rear panels together by seaming together
said front and rear top edges to form a top scarf seam and by seaming said front and rear
peripheral edges together to form a peripheral scarf seam that includes said ~~bunched portion~~
gathered strip or strips of said front peripheral edge,

said front and rear panels, said top scarf seam and said peripheral scarf seam defining an
air chamber between said panels.

55. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 54 wherein said scarf further includes means for
securing said scarf around the neck of a wearer.

56. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 55 wherein said securing means comprises left
and right front closure tabs,

said left front closure tab sewn to said front panel at said left front side edge,

said right front closure tab sewn to said front piece at said right front side edge;

5 said right back closure tab sewn to said right rear side edge at said rear side piece top
edge, and

said left back closure tab sewn to said left rear side edge at said rear side piece top edge,

said right front and right rear closure tabs seamed together to form a right scarf tab, and
said left front and left rear closure tabs seamed together to form a left scarf tab.

57. (once amended) The apparatus as recited in Claim 54 wherein the peripheral edges of said
front and rear panels are substantially congruent after said ~~bunching means~~ gathered strip or strips
are formed on said front panel peripheral edge.

58. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 54 wherein at least one of said front and rear
panels further comprises a third panel attached to and generally coextensive with said one of said

first and second panels.

59. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 58 wherein said front panel is formed from fabric.

60. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 58 wherein said rear panel is formed from fleece fabric.

61. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 58 wherein said third panel is formed from fabric.

62. (original) The apparatus as recited in Claim 61 wherein said fabric is silk.